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#### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

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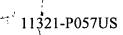
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n of the application of: Yakobson, et al.

Serial No.: 10/716,721

Filing Date: November 19, 2003

Title:

High-Yield Method of Endohedrally Encapsulating Species Inside

Fluorinated Fullerene Nanocages

Group Art Unit: 1754

Examiner: Unknown

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed March 2, 2004, the following documents are enclosed:

- 1. Declaration signed by all inventors;
- 2. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- 3. Petition for Four Month Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a);
- 4. Fee Transmittal;
- 5. Checks in the amounts of \$65.00 (Surcharge Fee) and \$740.00 (Four month extension fee); and
- 6. Return postcard.

Applicant does not believe any other fees are due at this time, However, if additional fees are necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the additional fees to the Winstead Sechrest & Minick deposit account number 23-2426 (referencing matter 11321-P057US).

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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